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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK	
IN RE WORLD TRADE CENTER DISASTER SITE LITIGATION	21 MC 100 (AKH)
DANIEL CORCHADO AND RUTH MELENDEZ	DOCKET NO.
Plaintiffs, - against - A RUSSO WRECKING, ET. AL.,	CHECK-OFF ("SHORT FORM") COMPLAINT RELATED TO THE MASTER COMPLAINT PLAINTIFF(S) DEMAND A TRIAL BY JURY
SEE ATTACHED RIDER,	
Defendants.	
By Order of the Honorable Alvin K. Heller 2006, ("the Order"), Amended Master Complaints fo	estein, United States District Judge, dated June 22, r all Plaintiffs were filed on August 18, 2006.
NOTICE	OF ADOPTION
instant Phintiff(s) as if fully set forth herein in add Plaintiff(s), which are listed below. These are marked and specific case information is set forth, as needed, be Plaintiffs, DANIEL CORCHADO AND RUT	d with an '\(\subseteq\)" if applicable to the instant Plaintiff(s), below. TH MELENDEZ, by his/her/their attorneys
WORBY GRONER EDELMAN & NAPOLI BERN, allege:	LLP, complaining of Defendant(s), respectfully
I. <u>PAI</u> A. PLAI	RTIES NTIFF(S)
 I. ☑ Plaintiff, DANIEL CORCHADO 	(hereinafter the "Injured Plaintiff"), is an individual

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Alternatively, \(\square\) is the _____ of Decedent

____, and brings this claim in his (her) capacity as of the Estate of ______

and a citizen of New York residing at 3349 Hull Avenue, Apt. B, Bronx, NY 10467-.

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3. York residing Injured Plaint	g at 3349 Hull Avenue, Apt. B, Bronx, N tiff: SPOUSE at all relevant times I DANIEL CORCHADO, and b	fter the "Derivative Plaintiff'), is a citizen of New IY 10467-, and has the following relationship to the nerein, is and has been lawfully married to Plaintiff brings this derivative action for her (his) loss due to usband (his wife), Plaintiff DANIEL CORCHADO.
	□ Parent □ Child □ (Other:
4. Laborer at:	In the period from 9/11/2001 to 9/15/2	2001 the Injured Plaintiff worked for Local 79 as a
	Please be as specific as possible when fi	lling in the following dates and locations
Location(s) (a From on or al	d Trade Center Site i.e., building, quadrant, etc.) bout 9/11/2001 until 9/15/2001; ly 12 hours per day; for	The Barge From on or about; Approximately hours per day; for Approximately days total.
	$\frac{1}{5}$ days total.	☐ Other:* For injured plaintiffs who worked at
From on or al Approximate Approximate	York City Medical Examiner's Office bout until, ly hours per day; for ly days total.	Non-WTC Site building or location. The injured plaintiff worked at the address/location, for the dates alleged, for the hours per day, for the total days, and for the employer, as specified below:
☐ The Fresh From on or al Approximate Approximate	Kills Landfill bout; ly hours per day; for ly days total.	From on or about until; Approximately hours per day; for Approximately days total; Name and Address of Non-WTC Site Building/Worksite:
	his information on a separate sheet of pa "Other" locations, please annex a separate	per if necessary. If more space is needed to specify ate sheet of paper with the information.
5.	Injured Plaintiff	
	✓ Was exposed to and breathed rabove;	noxious fumes on all dates, at the site(s) indicated
dates at the site(s) indicated above;		ingested toxic substances and particulates on all
		or touched toxic or caustic substances on all dates at
	✓ Other: Not yet determined.	

6.

 ✓ Has not made a claim to the Victim Compensation Fund. If §405(c)(3)(B)(i) of the Air Transportation Safety and System U.S.C. § 40101, the issue of waiver is inapplicable. ✓ Made a claim to the Victim Compensation Fund that was d 405(c)(3)(B)(i) of the Air Transportation Safety and System U.S.C. § 40101, the issue of waiver is inapplicable. ✓ Made a claim to the Victim Compensation Fund, that was so by Ground-Zero Plaintiff. Pursuant to § 405(c)(3)(B)(i) of Safety and System Stabilization Act, 49 U.S.C. § 40101, the inapplicable. ✓ Made a claim to the Victim Compensation Fund that was g 	
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405(c)(3)(B)(i) of the Air Transportation Safety and System U.S.C. § 40101, Ground Zero-Plaintiff has waived her/his a further legal action for the injuries identified in said claim.	stem Stabilization Act, 49 his right(s) to pursue any

B. DEFENDANT(S)

The following is a list of all Defendant(s) named in the Master Complaint. If checked, all paragraphs pertaining to that Defendant are deemed pleaded herein.

☐ THE CITY OF NEW YORK	☑ A RUSSO WRECKING
☐ A Notice of Claim was timely filed and	☑ ABM INDUSTRIES, INC.
served on and	\square ABM JANITORIAL NORTHEAST, INC.
	☑ AMEC CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT,
☐ pursuant to General Municipal Law §50-	INC.
h the CITY held a hearing on(OR)	☑ AMEC EARTH & ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.
☐ The City has yet to hold a hearing as	☑ ANTHONY CORTESE SPECIALIZED
required by General Municipal Law §50-h	HAULING, LLC, INC.
\square More than thirty days have passed and	☑ ATLANTIC HEYDT CORP
the City has not adjusted the claim	☑ BECHTEL ASSOCIATES PROFESSIONAL
(OR)	CORPORATION
☐ An Order to Show Cause application to	☑ BECHTEL CONSTRUCTION, INC.
deem Plaintiff's (Plaintiffs') Notice of	☑ BECHTEL CORPORATION
Claim timely filed, or in the alternative to grant	☑ BECHTEL ENVIRONMENTAL, INC.
Plaintiff(s) leave to file a late Notice of Claim	☑ BERKEL & COMPANY, CONTRACTORS,
Nunc Pro Tunc (for leave to file a late Notice of	INC.
Claim <i>Nunc Pro Tunc</i>) has been filed and a	☑ BIG APPLE WRECKING & CONSTRUCTION
determination	CORP
☐ is pending	☐ BOVIS LEND LEASE, INC.
☐ Granting petition was made on	☑ BOVIS LEND LEASE LMB, INC.
☐ Denying petition was made on	☑ BREEZE CARTING CORP
	☑ BREEZE NATIONAL, INC.
☐ PORT AUTHORITY OF NEW YORK AND	\square BRER-FOUR TRANSPORTATION CORP.
NEW JERSEY ["PORT AUTHORITY"]	☑ BURO HAPPOLD CONSULTING ENGINEERS,
☐ A Notice of Claim was filed and served	P.C.
pursuant to Chapter 179, §7 of The	☑ C.B. CONTRACTING CORP
Unconsolidated Laws of the State of New	☑ CANRON CONSTRUCTION CORP
York on	☐ CONSOLIDATED EDISON COMPANY OF
☐ More than sixty days have elapsed since	NEW YORK, INC.
the Notice of Claim was filed, (and)	☑ CORD CONTRACTING CO., INC
☐ the PORT AUTHORITY has	☐ CRAIG TEST BORING COMPANY INC.
adjusted this claim	☑ DAKOTA DEMO-TECH
the PORT AUTHORITY has not	☑ DIAMOND POINT EXCAVATING CORP
adjusted this claim.	☑ DIEGO CONSTRUCTION, INC.
	☑ DIVERSIFIED CARTING, INC.
□ 1 WORLD TRADE CENTER, LLC	✓ DMT ENTERPRISE, INC.
☐ 1 WTC HOLDINGS, LLC	☑ D'ONOFRIO GENERAL CONTRACTORS
☐ 2 WORLD TRADE CENTER, LLC	CORP
☐ 2 WTC HOLDINGS, LLC	✓ EAGLE LEASING & INDUSTRIAL SUPPLY
☐ 4 WORLD TRADE CENTER, LLC	✓ EAGLE ONE ROOFING CONTRACTORS INC.
□ 4 WORLD TRADE CENTER, LLC □ 4 WTC HOLDINGS, LLC	☐ EAGLE SCAFFOLDING CO, INC.
,	☑ EJ DAVIES, INC. ☑ EN-TECH CORP
5 WORLD TRADE CENTER, LLC	☐ ET ENVIRONMENTAL
☐ 5 WTC HOLDINGS, LLC ☐ 7 WORLD TRADE COMPANY, L.P.	
L / WORLD INADE COMPANI, L.F.	□EVANS ENVIRONMENTAL

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✓ RODAR ENTERPRISES, INC.

☑ ROYAL GM INC.

☑ SAB TRUCKING INC.

✓ SAFEWAY ENVIRONMENTAL CORP

☑ SEASONS INDUSTRIAL CONTRACTING

✓ YORK HUNTER CONSTRUCTION, LLC ☑ ZIEGENFUSS DRILLING, INC.

☑ YANNUZZI & SONS INC

☐ OTHER:

✓ YONKERS CONTRACTING COMPANY, INC.

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☐ Non-WTC Site Building Owner	☐ Non-WTC Site Building Managing Agent
Name:	Name:
Business/Service Address:	
Building/Worksite Address:	Building/Worksite Address:
☐ Non-WTC Site Lessee	Ç
Name:	
Business/Service Address:	
Building/Worksite Address:	

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The Court's jurisdiction over the subject matter of this action is:

✓ Founded upon Federal Question Jurisdiction; specifically; ✓; Air Transport Safety & System Stabilization Act of 2001, (or); ☐ Federal Officers Jurisdiction, (or); ☐ Other (specify):; ☐ Contested, but the Court has already determined that it has			
remov	val jurisdiction over this action, pursuant to 28	U.S.C	C. § 1441.
	III CAUSE	S OF	ACTION
of lial			d defendants based upon the following theories a such a claim under the applicable substantive
V	Breach of the defendants' duties and obligations pursuant to the New York State Labor Law(s) including §§ 200 and 240	V	Common Law Negligence, including allegations of Fraud and Misrepresentation
V	Breach of the defendants' duties and obligations pursuant to the New York State Labor Law 241(6)		 ✓ Air Quality; ✓ Effectiveness of Mask Provided; ☐ Effectiveness of Other Safety Equipment Provided
	Pursuant to New York General Municipal Law §205-a		(specify:); ☑ Other(specify): Not yet determined
	Pursuant to New York General Municipal Law §205-e		Wrongful Death
		V	Loss of Services/Loss of Consortium for Derivative Plaintiff
		П	Other:

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1. As a direct and proximate result of defendant's culpable actions in the rescue and/or recovery and/or construction, renovation, alteration, demolition and all work performed at the premises, the Injured Plaintiff sustained (including, but not limited to) the following injuries:

	Cancer Injury: N/A. Date of onset: Date physician first connected this injury to WTC work:		Cardiovascular Injury: N/A. Date of onset: Date physician first connected this injury to WTC work:
V	Respiratory Injury: Asthma; and Chronic Rhinitis Date of onset: 7/12/2005 Date physician first connected this injury to WTC work: To be supplied at a later date	V	Fear of Cancer Date of onset: 7/12/2005 Date physician first connected this injury to WTC work: To be supplied at a later date
V	Digestive Injury: <u>GERD</u> Date of onset: <u>7/12/2005</u> Date physician first connected this injury to WTC work: <u>To be supplied at a later date</u>	V	Other Injury: <u>Depression</u> Date of onset: <u>7/12/2005</u> Date physician first connected this injury to WTC work: <u>To be supplied at a later date</u>

NOTE: The foregoing is NOT an exhaustive list of injuries that may be alleged.

2. As a direct and proximate result of the injuries identified in paragraph "1", above, the Ground Zero-Plaintiff has in the past suffered and/or will in the future suffer the following compensable damages:

■ Pain and suffering
 ✓ Loss of the enjoyment of life

✓ Loss of earnings and/or impairment of earning capacity

✓ Loss of retirement benefits/diminution of retirement benefits

Expenses for medical care, treatment, and rehabilitation

✓ Other:

✓ Mental anguish

☑ Disability

✓ Medical monitoring

✓ Other: Not yet determined.

3. As a direct and proximate result of the injuries described *supra*, the derivative plaintiff(s), if any, have in the past suffered and/or will in the future suffer a loss of the love, society, companionship, services, affection, and support of the plaintiff and such other losses, injuries and damages for which compensation is legally appropriate.

WHEREFORE, plaintiff(s) respectfully pray that the Court enter judgment in his/her/their favor and against defendant(s) for damages, costs of suit and such other, further and different relief as may be just and appropriate.

Plaintiff(s) demands that all issues of fact in this case be tried before a properly empanelled jury.

Dated: New York, New York October 30, 2007

Yours, etc.,

Melendez

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ATTORNEY VERIFICATION

CHRISTOPHER R. LOPALO, an attorney at law, duly admitted to practice in the Courts of the State of New York, affirms under the penalties of perjury that:

He is the attorney for the plaintiff(s) in the above-entitled action.

That he has read the foregoing SUMMONS AND VERIFIED COMPLAINT and knows

the contents thereof, and upon information and belief, deponent believes

the matters alleged therein to be true.

The reason this Verification is made by deponent and not by the plaintiff(s) is that the plaintiff(s) herein reside(s) in a county other than the one in which the plaintiff's attorneys maintain their office.

The source of deponent's information and the grounds of his belief are communication, papers, reports and investigation contained in the file.

DATED: New York, New York
October 30, 2007

CHRISTOPHER R. LOPALO

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	WORBY GRONER EDELMAN & NAPOLI BERN, LLP Attorneys for: Plaintiff(s) Office and Post Office Address, Telephone 115 Broadway - 12th Floor New York, New York 10006 (212) 267-3700
	To Attorney(s) for
=====	Service of a copy of the within is hereby admitted.
	Dated,
======	Attorney(s) for
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